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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed herewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date June 27, 2001 in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee", Mailing Label Number EL 732019223 US, addressed to the: Box Patent Application, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.



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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventors: Genichi Kakefuda, Hans-Ulrich Koop, Stephen
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For (title): CYANOBACTERIAL NUCLEIC ACID FRAGMENTS ENCODING
PROTEINS USEFUL FOR CONTROLLING PLANT TRAITS VIA
NUCLEAR OR PLASTOME TRANSFORMATION

1. Type of Application

This new application is an original application.

2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application

This new application claims the benefit of a prior U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/214,705 filed on June 27, 2000.

3. Papers Enclosed Herewith

The following papers required for a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b) are enclosed:

<u>52</u>	Pages of specification
<u>2</u>	Pages of claims
<u>1</u>	Page of abstract
<u>15</u>	Sheets of drawings

The following additional papers are enclosed:

- ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☐ Assignment
- ☐ Recordation Form Cover Sheet
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Form PTO-1449
- ☒ Check in the amount of \$790.00

4. Filing Fee Calculation

The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

Basic fee		\$710
Total claims in excess of 20	(= 0) × \$18	0
Total independent claims in excess of 3	(= 1) × \$80	80
Multiple dependent claims	(= 0) \$270	0
Basic Filing Fee Due:		\$790

5. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

<u>X</u>	Basic filing fee	\$790
<u> </u>	Fee for recordation of assignment	\$ 0

	Total Fees Enclosed:	\$790
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6. Method of Payment of Fees

- ☒ A check drawn on Ostrager Chong & Flaherty LLP in the amount of \$790.00 to cover the filing fee.
- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee in the amount of _____ to Deposit Account No. 15-0699.

7. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees required for the filing of this application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0699.

The Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees required to maintain the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 15-0699.

8. Address for Receipt of Patent Office Correspondence

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